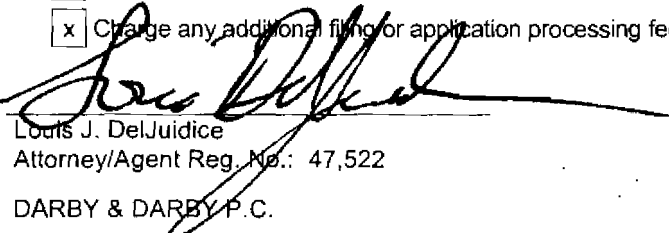


| AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER | | | | Docket No. 09852/0203290-USO | |
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| Application No. 10/546,130-Conf. #9914 | Filing Date August 16, 2005 | Examiner T.M. McGuthry-Banks | Art Unit 1793 | | |
| Applicant(s): Katsuo Sugahara | | | | | |
| Invention: NICKEL-BASE ALLOYS | | | | | |
| TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS | | | | | |
| Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. | | | | | |
| The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. | | | | | |
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | |
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest Number Previously Paid | Number Extra Claims Present | Rate | |
| Total Claims | 15 | - 42 = | 0 | x 50.00 | 0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 1 | - 6 = | 0 | x 210.00 | 0.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| Other fee (please specify): 1801 Request for continued examination | | | | | 810.00 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: | | | | | 810.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment. | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____. | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>04-0100</u> as described below. | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment. | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. | | | | | |
|  Louis J. DeJuidice Attorney/Agent Reg. No.: 47,522 DARBY & DARBY P.C. | | | | Dated: <u>April 18, 2008</u> | |